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follows: Fever, 2; dropsy, 2; dysentery, 2; malarial cachexia, 1; syphilis, 1; pneumonia, 1; beriberi, 1; stillborn, 1; hernia, 1; liver disease, 1.

*Government of Panama instructs consuls at Callao, Valparaiso, and Guayaquil relative to clearance of vessels.*

Cablegram from Minister Russell, at Panama, dated April 25, is received, stating that the Panama Government had cabled instructions to its consuls at Callao, Valparaiso, and Guayaquil to cooperate with our health officers in the matter of clearance of vessels to ports in the Republic of Panama, and instructions will be sent to the consul at La Guaira.

#### PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

*Report from Manila—Quarantinable diseases—Fumigation of vessel—Cholera in the provinces.*

Chief Quarantine Officer Heiser reports, March 17, as follows:

During the week ended March 12, 1904, the quarantinable diseases reported in Manila were as follows:

	Cases.	Deaths.
Cholera.....	0	0
Smallpox.....	1	0
Plague.....	3	3

#### *Fumigation of vessel.*

One vessel departed for the United States during the week, namely, the schooner *Snow & Burgess*, which cleared for Port Townsend, March 10, 1904. She was fumigated with sulphur and the personnel was inspected on board prior to sailing.

*Report of cholera occurring in provincial towns in the Philippine Islands for the week ended March 12, 1904.*

Place.	Province.	Cases.	Deaths.
Calivo.....	Island of Panay, province of Capiz .....	22	9